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OFFICE WEST VIPGINIA SECRETARY OF STATE

Bill J. Crouch Cabinet Secretary

MEMORANDUM

DATE:

July 1, 2021

TO:

Mac Warner

Secretary of State

FROM:

Bill J. Crouch, Cabinet Secretary 24

Department of Health and Human Resources

RE:

Sewer Systems, Sewage Treatment Systems, and Sewage Tank

Cleaners Legislative Rule - W. Va. C.S.R. § 54-9

On or about April 10, 2020, pursuant to W. Va. Code §15-5-6(c)(7) and the State of Emergency declared by Governor Justice on March 16, 2020, the Bureau for Public Health of the Department of Health and Human Resources requested that W. Va. C.S.R. §64-9, Sewer Systems, Sewage Treatment Systems, and Sewage Tank Cleaners, be temporarily suspended, in part.

W. Va. C.S.R. §64-9 establishes and sets forth the minimum requirements for sewer systems, sewage treatment or disposal plants which serve public sewers, and the certification of sewage tank installers. Compliance with all of the provisions of the rule no longer poses a hinderance or delay of necessary action in coping with the emergency declared by the Governor. Therefore, I request that the suspension be lifted, and that the entirety of the rule be made effective July 1, 2021.